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Hitoshi YOKOYAMA et al.	:	Confirmation No. 1805
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Sir:

Applicants hereby appeal to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences from the decision dated October 19, 2009 of the Primary Examiner finally rejecting claims 1-5, 7, 9 and 10.

- [X] A timely response to the final rejection has been filed.
- [X] The extension fee of \$1,110.00 for a three month extension of time is submitted with the attached Petition for Extension of Time.
 - [X] The Appeal Fee of [X] \$540.00 (other than Small Entity)
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	Small	entity status of this application is established by the verified statemen
under 37 CFR	1.9 and	d 1.27 which
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	•	Respectfully submitted,

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